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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

SIR:

Enclosed herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2004 for the above-identified application.

Applicants respectfully request a **three-month extension of time** for responding to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2004, for which a three-month response period expiring on November 25, 2004 was set. The three-month extended period for response expires on February 25, 2005. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) three month extension fee of \$1,020.00 to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number 11-0600.

No fee is believed due for this submission. If a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, Deposit Account 11-0600.

A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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